



THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Jean Francois MICHELET et al.

Serial No.: 09/917,274

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For:

USE, IN COSMETIC PREPARATIONS, OF  
PROSTAGLANDIN EP-3 RECEPTOR  
AGONISTS TO ATTENUATE, REDUCE OR  
STOP THE GROWTH OF HEAD HAIR AND  
OTHER HAIRS

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Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed  
October 2, 2002.

**AMENDMENT**

In the claims:

*Please amend the claims as follows:*

1. (Currently amended) A method for attenuating, reducing or stopping the growth of hair on a subject which comprises [using] administering at least one prostaglandin EP-3 receptor agonist to the subject.

2. (Previously amended) The method according to